The Senate Committee on Government Operations has established a Special Subcommittee to examine into how the President's security order of September 1951 has been used by the Government agencies, the reasons behind the issuance of the order, attempts by department heads or their employees to suppress legitimate news on grounds other than the President's security order, the proper methods that may be used to protect real military secrets without concealing information from the public for other reasons, and to recommend corrective steps.

The Subcommittee is composed of the following Senators:

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